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1. Why do we need a public library. 24 p. 5 cents.
2. How to start a public library, by G. E. Wire. 12 p. 5 cents.
3. Traveling libraries, by F. A. Hutchins. 12 p. 5 cents.
4. Library rooms and buildings, by C. C. Soule. 24 p. 5 cents.
5. Notes from the art section of a library, by C. A. Cutter. 22 p. 5 cents.
6. Essentials in library administration, by L. E. Stearns. 103 p. 15 cents.
7. Cataloging for small libraries, by Theresa Hitchler. 84 p. 15 cents.

Nos. 6 and 7 will in future be known as Library Handbooks, nos. 1 and 2.

8. A village library, by Mary A. Tarbell. 19 p. 5 cents.

In lots of 50 or more nos. 1–4 will be sold at $1.00 per 100; nos. 5 and 8 at $2.00 per 100; nos. 6 and 7 at $5.00 per 100.

Other numbers of the series, prepared for the League of library commissions will be issued shortly.

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NOTICE

Beginning with the present issue the BOOKLIST will be sent free to all members of the American Library Association, in accordance with a request made by the Executive Board.

Its scope will be enlarged and, beside the current buying lists for small libraries and for larger libraries, it will contain official news and announcements of the A.L.A. and of its committees and affiliated organizations, including the bulletins of the Committee on book-buying and information regarding the publications of the A.L.A. Publishing Board.

It will also contain from time to time select bibliographies and special reference lists. These will be reprinted separately and sold to libraries for distribution at cost of paper and press work. Orders for these should be sent promptly.

The list of books aims to embody briefly the judgment and experience of librarians for the use of librarians. It is made through the collaboration of librarians who watch current publications in special lines and select the books they consider most useful for small libraries and those of medium size.

TO LIBRARIANS

The Publishing Board wishes to collect the material for a list of all persons engaged in library work in the United States and Canada.

To assist in compiling this list each librarian to whom this BOOKLIST comes, is asked to send to Miss Nina E. Browne, Secretary, A.L.A. Publishing Board, 10½ Beacon street, Boston, Mass., the names and addresses of all trustees, librarians, and assistants connected with the library. The Board also asks that each library send regularly to it all its reports, bulletins, and catalogs, so that it may have on file a complete body of information regarding American libraries.

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CONFERENCE OF 1906

At a meeting of the Executive Committee of the A.L.A., held at Lake Placid during Library week, it was voted that the next annual conference shall be held at Narragansett Pier, Rhode Island, beginning on Friday, June 29th. It is intended, should favorable responses be received in sufficient numbers, to engage a large steamer for a post-conference trip of one week, visiting Newport, Nantucket, Block Island, and other points of interest in Long Island Sound, concluding the trip with a day's sail on the Hudson River. The Travel Committee, Mr. F. W. Faxon, Chairman, 11 Chauncy Place, Jamaica Plain, Mass., would be glad to hear from members indicating their expectations as to attendance.

A.L.A. PUBLISHING BOARD

The Publishing Board expects to continue the **Annotated titles of books on English and American history** in annual form, to be issued as a special number of the BOOKLIST.

The lists for 1897 to 1903 are already in print, and are on sale by the Publishing Board ($1 a year in pamphlet form; $2 a year in card form). It is hoped to issue the titles of 1904 about January 1, 1906; those for 1905 in June, 1906.

Provided a sufficient number of subscriptions are received in advance, these titles will also be issued on cards as heretofore. Price $2.00 for each year (2 cards and 1 slip for each of the 100 or more titles).

Printed catalog cards for **Reed's Modern eloquence,** 15 v., are to be issued within the next two months. Only a limited number of sets will be printed, and librarians wishing these cards are asked to send an early order. Price for the set, about $5.25.

The cards for the **Warner Library** of the world's best literature, of which 250 sets were printed, are now out of print.

The Board is considering the further revision of the **A.L.A. List of subject headings**, the first edition of which was printed in 1895, and the second revised edition in 1898. Librarians and catalogers are specially asked to send to the Secretary criticisms of the present List and suggestions for its improvement.

EXPLANATION

Prices of net books marked ** are subject under the rules of the American Publishers' Association to not more than 10% discount to libraries within a year of the date of publication (given in parentheses after the year). Those marked * do not come under the rules, but are generally charged at a small discount. Prices marked † or unmarked are usually subject to a discount of 33⅓, or 25%.

Following the note are given items helpful in cataloging. 1. The Decimal classification. 2. The Expansive classification. 3. Suggested subject headings and references for a dictionary catalog. 4. The order number for Library of Congress cards followed by a figure indicating the number of cards necessary to catalog the book with the headings suggested, including a title card. The price for Library of Congress cards is 2c. for the first card and ½c. for each additional card for the same title ordered at the same time. Books followed by sign ✠ are suggested for first purchase. The size is given when more than 20 cm. or less than 15 cm.

The purpose of the Booklist is helpfulness, and all comment and suggestion looking toward that result will be welcomed by the editor. Suggestions of book titles are also invited, with brief notes based on personal knowledge. These titles with full entry and subject headings should reach the editor by the 20th of the month.

Address communications:

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FOR SMALL LIBRARIES

Atkinson, Fred Washington. The Philippine Islands. Bost. Ginn,1905. 426p.il.maps. $3 net. ✣

An impartial study of the present condition of the islands and the people. The author was general superintendent of public instruction for the Philippine Islands.

919.1 G6811 Philippine Islands. Description and travel 5-30259/2

Bard, Émile. Chinese life in town and country (Our Asiatic neighbours) N.Y.Putnam,1905. 285p.il. **$1.20 net. ✣

A timely and extremely readable epitome of Chinese life, traits, customs, religion, history, and education.

915.1 G66 China. Social life and customs 5-18127/4

Bashore, Harvey Brown. The sanitation of a country house. N.Y.Wiley, 1905. 103p.il.plans. $1.

Author is inspector for the State board of health of Pennsylvania. Presents in popular form the elementary principles of house sanitation, discussing water supply, waste disposal and general surroundings.

628.6 SKD Country houses. Sanitation ‖ Drainage, House ‖ Sanitation 5-23060/5

Bridgman, Raymond Landon. World organization. Bost.Ginn,1905. 172p. 50c.

Contents. World unity — National sovereignty not absolute — The world constitution — The world legislature — The world judiciary — The world executive — World legislation already accomplished — World business now pending — National constitutions — The supremacy of races — The mind of the world — Forces active for world unity — World organization secures world peace — World peace — Appendixes.

Urges the organization of mankind into one political body. Stimulating to thought and discussion. Partly reprinted from various periodicals.

321 JB Peace 5-22347/3

Cody, Sherwin, *ed.* A selection from the great English poets, with an essay on the reading of poetry (The "world's best" series) Chic.McClurg,1905. 576p. **$1 net.

Selections from seventeen representative poets.
821 Yp English poetry. Collections 5-23185/4

Eggleston, George Cary. Our first century. N.Y. Barnes, 1905(Je) 268p.il. **$1.20 net.

A simple, popular presentation of early colonial life, dealing mainly with the domestic habits of the English colonists.
973 F83 U.S. Soc. life & cust. Colonial period 5-15537/3

Hutton, Laurence. Talks in a library with Laurence Hutton, recorded by Isabel Moore. N.Y. Putnam, 1905. 458p. plates, ports. facsims. **$2.50 net.

Delightful collection of anecdotes and personal detail concerning well-known artists, writers, etc., among whom were Dickens, Booth, Jefferson, Kingsley, Dean Stanley, Mary Anderson, Alma-Tadema, and others.
920 E.9 Moore, Isabel 5-15677/3

Moody, William Vaughn. A first view of English literature, by William Vaughn Moody and Robert Morss Lovett. N.Y. Scribner, 1905. 386p. il. *$1 net.

"Reading guide" at end of chapter.
Based upon the authors' more advanced History of English literature, and adapted to use of high school and academy teachers.
820 Zy English literature. History || Lovett, Robert Morss, *joint author* 5-16628/4

New York State Library. A selection from the best books of 1904; with notes Albany, N.Y. N.Y. State education dept. 1905. 503-543p. pap. 10c. ✣

This valuable compilation is free to libraries. To individuals ten cents is charged.
016 Zw Bibliography. Best books

Peck, Harry Thurston. William Hickling Prescott (English men of letters) N.Y. Macmillan, 1905. 186p. **75c. net.

Divided into two parts: an account of the historian's personality and career — largely based on Ticknor's "Life" — and criticism of his writings, just and appreciative.
920 E Prescott, William Hickling 5-13310/3

Peterson, Maude Gridley. How to know wild fruits; a guide to plants when not in flower by means of fruit and leaf. N.Y.Macmillan,1905. 340p.il. **$1.50 net. ✣

A new departure in nature books, and almost unique in the field that it covers. A very serviceable guide to the lover of the woods in seasons when flowers are no longer to be found.

581 Nw Botany—U.S. ‖ Fruit 5-15672/4

Pilcher, James Evelyn. First aid in illness and injury; comprised in a series of chapters on the human machine, its structure, its implements of repair, and the accidents and emergencies to which it is liable. 9th ed.rev. N.Y.Scribner,1905. 356p.il. **$2 net.

Ninth edition of a useful little handbook giving in untechnical language clear and explicit directions as to immediate treatment, and as to bandaging, lifting, etc.

613 QR First aid in illness and injury ‖ Physiology 5-20790/3

Popular mechanics shop notes, 1905. Chic.Popular mechanics co.1905. Il.diagrs. 50c. ✣

Compiled from the "Shop notes" department of Popular mechanics magazine.

680 TIL Machine shop practice ‖ Workshop receipts 5-10474/3

Ringwalt, Ralph Curtis. Briefs on public questions, with selected lists of references. N.Y.Longmans, 1905. 229p. *$1.20 net.

On twenty-five questions of the day is presented a brief, both affirmative and negative, prefaced by a concise proposition stating the question, and an introduction explaining why the subject is important.

374 ZBEH Debating ‖ Economics 5-16516/4

Scherer, James Augustin Brown. Young Japan; the story of the Japanese people, and especially of their educational development. Phil.Lippincott, 1905(My) 328p.il. **$1.50 net.

Author was for four years teacher of a government school in Japan, and knows his subject. Style is easy and straightforward.

952 F67 Japan. Soc. life & cust. 5-16160/3

Washington, Booker Taliaferro, *ed.* Tuskegee and its people; their ideals and achievements. N.Y. Appleton,1905. 354p.pors.il. **$2 net.

Contents. Pt. 1. The school and its purposes — Pt. 2. Autobiographies by graduates of the school.

An excellent addition to Booker T. Washington's autobiography, "Up from slavery," the best one book on the Tuskegee movement.

371 Ik Tuskegee normal and industrial institute || Negro. Education 5-17294/4

FICTION

At the sign of the fox, a romance by Barbara, *pseud.* N.Y.Macmillan,1905. 372p. †$1.50. ✣

Not a stirring romance, but a well-told story of a family reduced from great wealth in New York to a small income and life on a farm. 5-20914

Banks, *Mrs* **Nancy Huston.** The little hills. N.Y. Macmillan,1905(Jl) 325p. †$1.50. ✣

Life years ago in a quiet village where everybody knows everybody else. Told with much grace and gentle humor. 5-19418/2

Couch, Arthur Thomas Quiller. Shakespeare's Christmas and other stories, by "Q." N.Y.Longmans, 1905. 335p.il. †$1.50.

Contents. Shakespeare's Christmas — Ye sexes, give ear! — Captain Wyvern's adventures — Frenchman's Creek — The man behind the curtain — Rain of dollars — The lamp and the guitar. 5-22359/2

De la Pasture, *Mrs* **Henry.** Peter's mother. N.Y. Dutton,1905. 345p. †$1.50.

An English story, with a good deal of detail concerning its well drawn characters. Appeared in the *Living age.*

French, Alice. The man of the hour, by Octave Thanet. Indianapolis, Bobbs,1905(S) 477p.il. †$1.50.

Deals largely with labor troubles in middle west. Leading character is son of an American business man and a socialistic Russian princess, and works out first the Tolstoyan theories of his mother and afterward, the business principles of his father. 5-26124/2

Frenssen, Gustav. Jörn Uhl, tr. by F. S. Delmer. Bost.Estes,1905. 416p. †$1.50.

Written by a Lutheran pastor and published in Germany in 1902, where it sprang into enormous favor. It is a portrayal of modern German peasant life, abounding in passages of great beauty and truth.

Delmer, F. S., *tr.* 5-11599/3

Goodwin, *Mrs* **Maud (Wilder)** Claims and counter-claims. N.Y.Doubleday,1905(Ag) 356p. †$1.50.

Leading character has to decide between loyalty to a man who has saved his life and loyalty to the highest interest of the girl he loves. Readable without being very exciting.

5-26852/2

Howells, William Dean. Miss Bellard's inspiration; a novel. N.Y.Harper,1905. 223p. †$1.50.

A clever presentation of the baffling inconsistencies of the feminine mind and the imperturbable forbearance of the masculine. 5-17981/2

Loomis, Charles Battell. Minerva's manoeuvres, the cheerful facts of a "return to nature." N.Y. Barnes,1905. 415p.il. †$1.50.

Lively and amusing. Minerva is a city-bred colored cook transferred to the country, who has to be treated with circumspect care for fear she will leave. 5-27402/2

McCall, Sidney. The breath of the gods. Bost. Little,1905. 431p. †$1.50.

Will be enjoyed by lovers of "Truth Dexter." Story is based on present-day Japanese character, with its universal spirit of self-sacrifice and patriotism. 5-14826/2

Richards, *Mrs* **Laura Elizabeth (Howe)** Mrs Tree's will. Bost.Estes,1905. 319p.il. †75c.

Entertaining little book. Good for reading aloud by persons who enjoy clever and kindly delineations of New England character. Continues the characters in "Mrs. Tree."

5-27132/2

Stephens, Robert Neilson. The flight of Georgiana; a story of love and peril in England in 1746. Bost.Page,1905(Ag) 339p.il. †$1.50. ✠

Adventure lively, love wholesome, and ending happy.

5-28005/2

Wiggin, Kate Douglas (Smith) (*Mrs* **G. C. Riggs**) Rose o' the river. Bost.Houghton,1905. 176p.il. †$1.25.

Pleasant little story of a lumberman's love for the pretty maiden called "Rose of the river" to distinguish her from another called "Rose of the hill." Appeared in the *Century*.

5-20445/2

CHILDRENS' BOOKS

All the year round; a nature reader. Bost.Ginn, 1896–1905. 4v.il. ea.35c.

Contents. Pt. 1. Autumn — Pt. 2. Winter — Pt. 3. Spring — Pt. 4. Summer.

Pt. 1–3 by Frances L. Strong, illustrated by Gertrude A. Stoker — Pt. 4 by M. A. L. Lane and Margaret Lane.

590 M Natural history — Juvenile and popular literature || Readers and speakers — Natural history || Strong, Frances Lucia, *ed.* || Lane, Mrs. Martha Allen (Luther), *ed.* || Lane, Margaret, *ed.*

5-19199/6

Blaisdell, Albert Franklin. Short stories from American history, by Albert F. Blaisdell and Francis K. Ball. Bost.Ginn,1905. 146p.il. 60c.

The bravery of Sergeant Jasper, Lydia Darrah, Elizabeth Zane; also more usual chapters such as The first thanksgiving and The Boston tea party.

973 F 83 United States History || Ball, Francis K., *joint author*

5-4081/4

Burrell, Caroline Benedict. A little cook-book for a little girl. Bost.Estes,1905. 179p. 75c.

Directions are quite plain. Somewhat more expensive recipes than usual in children's cook-books. The greater part of this book is reprinted from *Good housekeeping*.

641 Rz Cookery

5-13303/3

Campbell, Helen Le Roy. Story of little Jan, the Dutch boy (Children of the world series) Bost. Educational pub.co.1905. 100p.il.map. *30c. net.

Presents chief characteristics of Dutch life in simple, pleasant way, though of no literary merit.

914.92 G467 Netherlands. Social life and customs

Campbell, Helen Le Roy. Story of little Metzu, the Japanese boy (Children of the world series) Bost.Educational pub.co.1905. 95p.il.map. *30c. net.

A pleasing description of Japanese life and customs.
915.2 G67 Japan. Social life and customs

Chandler, Katherine. In the reign of coyote, folklore from the Pacific coast ("Once upon a time" series) Bost.Ginn,1905. 161p.il. 40c.

Three Indian servants, each from a different tribe, tell their folk tales. They are short stories of how the animals secured light and fire, how they got their color, etc.
398.2 YL Folk-lore || Indians of North America. Legends
5-24185/5

Dudley, Albertus True. In the line. (Phillips Exeter series) Bost.Lee,1905. 309p.il. †$1.25.

Straightforward, interesting story of school and football, with manly ideals. Continues "Following the ball," but the narrative is not dependent on it. 5-17278/3

Grover, Eulalie Osgood. Overall boys: a first reader. Chic.Rand,1905. 124p.il. *45c.

Similar to Sunbonnet babies, and those little folks are brought into this story. Unlike most primary readers, this book consists of one long story, not numerous short ones.
5-3788/2

Jefferies, John Richard. Bevis, the story of a boy. Introduction by E. V. Lucas. N.Y.Dutton,1905. 464p.il. $1.50.

A reprint in readable form of a thoroughly wholesome story of camping and outdoor life, written with the author's well-known charm of style.

Kelman, Janet Harvey. Stories from Chaucer (Told to the children series) N.Y.Dutton,1905. 114 p.il. 50c.

The stories of Dorigen, Emilia, Griselda, Constance, given in a simple, poetic spirit. Children could feel the beauty in the lives of these people of romance. The four books in this series which are included in this issue of the BOOKLIST are exceeding attractive in make-up.
821.17 Y Chaucer, Geoffrey (adaptation)

Kingsley, Charles. The heroes; told to the children by Mary Macgregor (Told to the children series) N.Y.Dutton,1905. 115p.il. 50c.

The editor has simplified the narrative and omitted many proper names without losing the style and spirit of the original.

292 Bt Myths. Greek and Roman

Kingsley, Charles. The water-babies; told to the children by Amy Steedman (Told to the children series) N.Y.Dutton,1905. 117p.il. 50c.

The real story as Kingsley told it with some of the long words and puzzling pages left out.

823.85 Yf Fairy tales || Steedman, Amy

Lang, Jeanie. Stories from the Faerie queen (Told to the children series) N.Y.Dutton,1905. 115 p.il. 50c.

Eight stories well selected and well told: Una and the lion; St. George and the dragon; Britomart and the magic mirror; The quest of Sir Guyon; Pastorella; Cambell and Triamond; Marinell, the sea-nymph's son; Florimell and the witch.

821.31 Y Spenser, Edmund (adaptation)

Mabie, Hamilton Wright, *ed.* Fairy tales every child should know; a selection of the best fairy tales of all times and of all authors. N.Y.Doubleday, 1905. 370p. **90c. net.

Twenty-four well-known old-time fairy tales. Book has the serious fault that no credit is given for the authorship of the stories.

398.4 Yk Fairy tales 5-16889/3

Mansfield, Blanche McManus (*Mrs* **M. F. Mansfield**) Our little English cousin, by Blanche McManus (Little cousin series) Bost.Page,1905. 108 p.il. map. †60c.

Gives glimpses of English life of the present day in connection with a family of Howards, who are typical upper-class English people. There are excursions on the Thames, a day at Eton, a visit to the Tower, experiences during Henley week, and descriptions of the Lord Mayor's show, and sight-seeing around London. (*Publishers' weekly*) The books of the Little cousin series have proved usable by older people and likable by children.

914.2 G45 England. Soc. life and cust. 5-24184/4

Mansfield, Blanche McManus (*Mrs* **M. F. Mansfield)** Our little French cousin, by Blanche McManus (Little cousin series) Bost.Page,1905. 116p.il. map. †60c.

Tells the life of a little French girl living in an old Norman village in one of the most progressive and opulent sections of France. The little details of daily French life are given in the instructive and interesting way of this series. (*Publishers' weekly*)

914.4 G39 France. Soc. life and cust. 5-20772/4

Miller *Mrs* **Harriet (Mann)** Kristy's surprise party, by Olive Thorne Miller, *pseud.* Bost. Houghton, 1905. 251p.il. $1.25.

Continues the interest of "Kristy's queer Christmas."

5-28382/2

Mowry, William Augustus. American pioneers, by William A. Mowry and Blanche S. Mowry (America's great men and their deeds) N.Y. Silver,1905. 363p.il. *65c. net.

Champlain, Father Marquette, Penn, Houston, John Harvard, Mary Lyon, and others.

920 E.9 Pioneers. U.S. || U.S. Biog. || Mowry, Blanche S., *joint author* 5-18109/6

Paine, Albert Bigelow. A little garden calendar for boys and girls. Phil.Altemus,1905. 329p.il. $1.

"The author has tried to tell in simple language a few of the wonders of plant life, and to set down certain easy methods of observation, including planting, tending, and gathering the harvests from month to month, throughout the year." Preface. Appeared in the *Delineator*.

635 RH Vegetable gardening || Gardening 5-15551/4

Pike, Henry Lee Mitchell. Our little Korean cousin (Little cousin series) Bost.Page,1905. 96p.il. †60c.

Young Pak was the only son of a rich Korean. We learn how he was fed and clothed when he was a baby; what he learned from his schoolmaster, how he worshipped his ancestors, what his relations were with his parents, what his pleasures and his ambitions, and many other details of Korean life. (*Publishers' weekly*)

915.19 G668 Korea. Soc. life and cust. 5-20922/4

Smith, Gertrude. Little mother and Georgie. N.Y. Harper,1905(S) 151p.il. **$1.30 net.

A dozen short stories in simple language in which Grandpa plays he is Georgie and little Florence, five years old, plays she is "Mudder." (*Publishers' weekly*) Published in *Little folks*. 5-29450/2

Stone, Gertrude Lincoln. Every day life in the colonies, by Gertrude L. Stone and M. Grace Fickett. Bost.Heath,1905(Jl) 119p.il. *40c net.

Contents. The first New England Christmas (1620) — Dorothy's hornbook — A Puritan Sabbath (about 1668) — Soap-making at the Howlands' — When the Indians fell on Saco — Candle-making at the Coolidges' — Telling time without a clock — Two letters of long ago (1743) — A May day journey (1727) — The poor debtor's children (1733) — Appendix.

Early customs described in simple story form.

973 G83 U.S. Soc. life and cust. Colonial period ‖ Fickett, Mary Grace, *joint author* 5-21801/4

Wade, *Mrs* **Mary Hazelton (Blanchard)** Our little Armenian cousin (Little cousin series) Bost. Page,1905. 85p.il. †60c.

Gives much information in story form about the persecuted Armenians; tells how one well-to-do family lives partly underground for protection; relates the story of an earthquake; describes the city of Erzeroum, etc. (*Publishers' weekly*)

915.66 G604 Armenia. Soc. life and cust. 5-23033/4

Wells, Carolyn. Patty in the city. N.Y.Dodd,1905. 274p.il. $1.25.

A continuation of "Patty at home." 5-28017/2

FOR LARGER LIBRARIES

Abbott, Lyman. The industrial problem; being the William Levi Bull lectures for the year 1905. Phil.Jacobs,1905(My) 196p. **$1 net.

The sub-titles of the four lectures outline the argument: 1. The industrial problem — 2. The political solution, regulation — 3. The economic solution, reorganization — 4. The ethical solution, regeneration.

331 HF Labor 5-17240/3

Bailey, Liberty Hyde. The outlook to nature; lectures delivered in Boston under the auspices of the Twentieth century club. N.Y.Macmillan, 1905. 296p. **$1.25 net.

Contents. The realm of the commonplace — Country and city — The school of the future — Evolution; the quest of truth.

504 LA Nature study 5-19694/3

Baldwin, Simeon Eben. The American judiciary (American state series) N.Y.Century,1905. 403p. **$1.25 net.

An exposition of the nature and scope of the judicial power in the United States, the organization and practical working of American courts. (*Publishers' weekly*)

351.9 KAHU Courts 5-17265/4

Carnegie, Andrew. James Watt. N.Y.Doubleday, 1905(My) 241p. **$1.40 net.

To the account of the achievements and life of the inventor the author has added many personal comments on the conduct of business. English edition may be bought for one shilling and sixpence.

920 E Watt, James 5-13950/2

Dixon, Thomas, *jr.* The life worth living, a personal experience. N.Y.Doubleday,1905(My) 140p.il. **$1.20 net.

With engaging frankness the author relates his reasons for leaving New York City for Tidewater, Virginia, his failures in vegetable gardening, and his success in finding outdoor happiness with dogs and guns and boats and boys.

640 RP Outdoor life 5-18330/3

Drummond, William Henry. The voyageur and other poems. N.Y.Putnam,1905 142p.il. **$1.25 net.

Poems in Canadian patois, giving glimpses of primitive life on trail and river, full of both humor and pathos.

811 YP 5-16166/2

Gibson, William Hamilton. Our native orchids; a series of drawings from nature of all the species found in the northeastern United States. With descriptive text elaborated from the author's notes, by Helena Leeming Jelliffe. N.Y.Doubleday,1905. 158p.il. **$1.35 net.

A very attractive and reasonably-priced book on a subject on which there are not yet many works available. Continues the important work in the study of orchids begun by Mr. Gibson before his death.

584 N Orchids || Jelliffe, Helena Leeming 5-19545/4

Hampson, W. Radium explained (Practical science series) N.Y.Dodd,1905. 122p.il. *50c. net.

Useful to the general reader who wishes to keep up with scientific progress of to-day. Easily comprehensible to any one with the ordinary knowledge of chemistry and physics.

530 LJ Radium 5-19542/4

Hyslop, James Hervey. Science and a future life. Bost.Turner,1905. 372p. **$1.50 net.

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Marx, Karl. Capital (1866); trans. by Moore and Aveling. C.H.Kerr & co. $2.

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